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DRUGS AND USES )

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION AND**  
**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks in response to the Final Office Action mailed on October 8, 2003, for which a three-month response period was designated.

A Fee Transmittal authorizing payment for a two-month extension of time is enclosed. Therefore, this response is considered timely filed on or before March 8, 2004.

Applicants have amended the claims to claim subject matter that the Examiner has indicated is allowable in order to place the application in condition for allowance.